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Commissioner for Patents
Attn: B. Dayoan
United States Patent And Trademark Office
Washington, D.C. 20231

re: Application: No.09/369,756
Filed: 8/6/99
For: (VEHICLE ENTERTAINMENT SYSTEM)

Dear Ms. Dayoan,

I have received from your office a notification of a patent application in which I was named as the sole inventor, (please see attached).

This patent application was submitted by my previous employer, Rosen Products, after I left the company. Although I have been in contact with Rosen Products patent attorney, David Cooper, the filing of the application has proceeded without my knowledge or participation. I have signed no Declaration and Power of Attorney form nor have I signed any Assignment transferring my rights to this invention to Rosen Products.

Is it legal and proper for Rosen Products to proceed with this application without my explicit approval in transferring intellectual property rights to them? Please advise as to my rights and responsibilities in this matter.

Sincerely,

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In re Application of
Norman D. Cholewinsky
Application No. 09/369,756
Filed: August 6, 1999
For: VEHICLE ENTERTAINMENT SYSTEM

Dear Mr. Cholewinsky:

You are named as the sole inventor in the above identified United States patent application, filed under the provisions of 35 U.S.C. 116 (United States Code), and 37 CFR 1.47(b), Rules of Practice in Patent Cases. Should a patent be granted on the application you will be designated therein as the sole inventor.

As a named inventor you are entitled to inspect any paper in the file wrapper of the application, order copies of all or any part thereof (at a prepaid cost per 37 CFR 1.19) or make your position of record in the application. Alternatively, you may arrange to do any of the preceding through a registered patent attorney or agent presenting written authorization from you. If you care to join in the application, counsel of record (see below) would presumably assist you. Joining in the application would entail the filing of an appropriate oath or declaration by you pursuant to 37 CFR 1.63.

Telephone inquiries regarding this communication should be directed to B. Dayoan or, in her absence, to the undersigned at (703) 305-1820. Requests for information regarding your application should be directed to the File Information Unit at (703) 308-2733. Information regarding how to pay for and order a copy of the application, or a specific paper in the application, should be directed to Certification Division at (703) 308-9726 or 1 (800) 972-6382 (outside the Washington D.C. area).

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